## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

PATRICIA E. SLATTERY, and MICHAEL B. SLATTERY, Plaintiffs,

v.

CIVIL ACTION NO. 04-30209-MAP

RICHARD HOWSE, and TRAVELERS TRANSPORTATION SERVICE, INC., Defendants

## CERTIFICATION BY DEFENDANT, RICHARD HOWSE, PURSUANT TO L.R. 16.1(D)(3)

The defendant, Richard Howse, and his counsel hereby certify to this Court that the defendant and his counsel have conferred:

- (a) with a view to establishing a budget for the costs of conducting the full course, and various alternative courses, of the litigation; and
- (b) to consider the resolution of litigation through the use of alternative dispute resolution programs such as those outlined in L.R. 16.4.

## RICHARD HOWSE,

By his attorneys,

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RICHARD HOWSE,

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Dated: March 9, 2005 Richard Howse